

## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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## TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application of GERHARD SCHMID ET AL.  
FOR: METHOD FOR REDUCING THE GLYCEMIC INDEX OF FOOD

## ENCLOSED ARE:

- ☒ 2 sheet(s) of formal drawing(s)  
☐ sheet(s) of informal drawing(s)  
☒ an Assignment of the invention, with required cover sheet, to  
Wacker-Chemie GmbH  
☒ Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 for the following application(s):  
European No. 03 003 463.1 filed February 14, 2003  
☐ a certified copy of the aforesaid application is enclosed.  
☒ a certified copy of the aforesaid application will be submitted in due course.  
☐ Associate Power of Attorney enclosed.

## CLAIMS AS FILED

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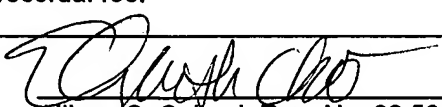
BASIC FEE (\$770)

REDUCED FEE (\$385) ☐ Independent Inventor ☐ Small Business Concern \$770.00TOTAL FILING FEE: **\$856.00**

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status  
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BE IT KNOWN that We, GERHARD SCHMID, HELMUT REUSCHER and GERARD ANTLSPERGER, all citizens of Germany, having addresses of Johann-Werner-Strasse 12, D-82131 Gauting, Germany; 7519 Wadding Drive, Onsted, Michigan, 49265; and Smetanastrasse 24, D-85598 Neubaldham, Germany, respectively, have invented certain new and useful improvements in a

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of which the following is a specification.